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Please amend claim 8 as follows:

cerevisiphlus, comprising employing the oligonucleotide made from the gene sequence described in claim 3 as a primer for synthesis of nucleic acids, and treating the nucleic acid by gene amplification to detect the bacteria.

Please amend claim 10 as follows:

10. (Amended) A method for detecting Pectinatus cerevisiiphilus, comprising employing the oligonucleotide made from the gene sequence described in claim 3 and a nucleotide sequence coding 16S rRNA gene of Pectinatus cerevisiiphilus as primers for synthesis of nucleic acids, and treating the nucleic acid by gene amplification to detect the bacteria.